

HIGHLY TRAINED CIVIL AIR PATROL VOLUNTEER MEMBERS ASSIST EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AGENCIES IN WAKE OF NATIONAL TRAGEDY.

(This listing will be updated as HQ is notified of activities. Last update 9/19/01)

Civil Air Patrol volunteer members, highly trained in varied aspects of emergency services, are responding to emergency preparedness agencies throughout the nation as follows:

- CAP volunteer members from North Carolina transported 50 cases of blood from Raleigh, NC to the American Red Cross facility in Baltimore, MD on Tuesday, 11 September.
- State officials from Florida have tasked Florida Wing CAP volunteers to monitor the many airports in the state and provide advisories to pilots at uncontrolled fields of the flight restrictions in place -- 61 airports/284 CAP personnel. Florida is also providing transportation of officials as needed.
- Volunteers in California have provided air transportation to government officials.
- Members of CAP's New Mexico Wing have been placed on alert for blood transport.
- Kentucky Wing members answered the call for help by flying blood platelets from Kentucky to New Jersey Tuesday afternoon, 11 September.
- The Connecticut, Massachusetts, and Rhode Island Wing of CAP flew 12 sorties and delivered 3000 lbs. Of blood and medical supplies to JFK airport for delivery to Mount Sinai Hospital. Continue to provide support as requested.
- The Idaho Wing has transported blood and medical supplies to California and Nevada for the American Red Cross.
- CAP volunteers of the Virginia Wing are manning the state Emergency Operations Center (EOC).
- The Pennsylvania Wing is providing manpower and communications support to the Allegheny County Emergency Management Agency (EMA) and the FEMA mobile EOC. They are also on standby to provide aerial imaging of the crash site of the 4th plane crash to authorities.
- Civil Air Patrol personnel from the North East Region are providing communication and coordination support to the FEMA Region 1 ROC.
- South Carolina CAP personnel are providing communications support the State EOC.
- FEMA Region III has placed Delaware Wing members on one-hour, rapid response standby.
- The New York Wing is conducting aerial digital photography of the WTC site for state authorities.
- Arizona Wing is providing communications and manning support at the state EOC.
- Georgia Wing transported robotic supplies for robots used by the US Army DARPA personnel at the disaster site to Hanscom AFB in Massachusetts from Dobbins ARB in Georgia.

- Illinois Wing is assisting with commercial flights diverted into local airports that were not prepared to handle them and crews are on standby for additional support.
- Maryland Wing assisted North Carolina wing by providing lodging for their personnel transporting supplies to Baltimore, and is now manning the state EOC and providing communications support.
- Michigan Wing is providing manpower and communications support to the state and local EOCs.
- New Jersey Wing is providing manpower and communications support to the state EOC and is expected to be flying real-time video missions on Thursday.
- Oregon Wing provided transportation for blood and blood samples from Portland to Los Angeles and San Diego via relay with California Wing.
- Pacific Region has alerted each of it's wings, contacted each state governor to offer support, and established command posts in each wing with aircraft and crews on alert.
- Southeast Region has alerted each of it's wings to be on standby for additional support, and has personnel monitoring communications throughout the region should they be needed.
- Texas wing is fully manned at present and may be providing blood transport missions in the future.
- West Virginia Wing is providing manning and communications support to the state EOC.
- Wisconsin Wing provided communications support to the state EOC.
- New Mexico Wing is transporting blood supplies daily from Albuquerque to Phoenix.
- California Wing transporting Federal Officials
- Utah Wing is flying missions to transport blood from Salt Lake City to San Diego, CA -- through 20 Sept.
- Wyoming Wing is flying in support of blood transport through 19 Sept.
- New York Wing is providing support in a number of areas:
 - Aerial photography of WTC (see images on this site)
 - Communications and manning support to the state EOC -- Indefinite mission length.
 - Food distribution, shelter and logistical support for ARC.
 - Transporting official personnel in CAP aircraft.
 - Air delivery of equipment for rescue workers.
- New Mexico Wing has provided aerial photography support of two power plants.
- Louisiana and Texas Wing providing air support for USCG port security and photo documentation.
- Oregon Wing has flown 33 sorties, 106 flying hours in support of ARC blood transport missions.
- Arizona Wing, CAP volunteer Ken McLeod, owner of CGS Wireless, used his company's Citation jet to transfer blood products from Tucson to Portland.

- A number of CAP chaplains have officiated at special services during this time. Several CAP chaplains in New York Wing ministered to emergency responding personnel and the families of missing people on day 1, 2, and 3 after the attack.